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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the patent application of

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For: PROGRAMMABLE ADAPTER DEVICE FOR COMMUNICATION PROTOCOLS

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Three (3) sheets of drawings, Figures 1-4.
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention to SCHNEIDER AUTOMATION.
- ☐ Certified copy of French application No. 00 14755, filed November 14, 2000.
- ☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ This application is not entitled to small entity status.
- ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ The executed Declaration and Assignment and full filing fees will follow in due course.

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(if applicable)			+ \$ 280.00=	\$
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Respectfully submitted,

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